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COMING EVENTS

Feb 15 Legislation Day at Thursday Afternoon Club, Dr. Jessie Russell, Speaker.
Feb 15 Evening meeting of Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Church, men furnishing program.
Feb 15-16 Variety Show of Union High for the benefit of the Athletics.
Feb 16 Meeting of Mothers' Club of the Acacia St. school.
Feb 18 Memorial service at Garfield Hall at 2:30 for Lincoln, Washington and McKinley, by N. P. Banks Post and W. R. C.
Feb 20 Election to vote bonds for flood control.
Feb 20 Card party at home of Mrs. Edwin Virden for the Thursday Club.
Feb 21 U and I Club, Colonial Day, Mrs. Edwin Virden, hostess.
Feb 21 500-Party in Yeoman Hall by Playground Committee.
Feb 22 All day annual meeting Woman's Missionary Society of Presbyterian Church.
Feb 23 P. E. O. Luncheon, Mrs. Amelia Wattles, hostess.
Feb 23 Yeoman dance.
Feb 23 Pythian Sisters excursion to Long Beach.
Feb 27-28 Minstrel Show by Twin City Lodge, K. of P.
Mar 1 Gentlemen's Night of Thursday Afternoon Club.
Mar 16 County Convention of Epworth League in Glendale.

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At this writing there is reason to hope that war between the United States and Germany will be averted; that Germany will carefully abstain from the "overt act" likely to precipitate hostilities. For this respite from a deeply dreaded conflict every citizen has reason to be thankful but it should be employed in preparation for defense against a possible hour of need. Whatever our ideas may be on the horrors of war, the time has passed when we can temporize or quibble about compulsory military training, particularly in our advanced public schools and colleges. The training will do no harm if the nation remains at peace. If war is thrust upon us it may mean the salvation of our land.

Our women should also be organized for self protection and home defense. When we consider the patrol service that will be needed for the protection of property in a country as large as these United States, the advantage of utilizing women for some of this work will be apparent. At the outbreak of the war the women of Europe little dreamed of the uses to which their abilities would be put in the service of their countries, but they have responded nobly to every demand, whether for hospital duties or to tend machines in munitions factories. Our women are no less adaptable or responsive but they too should be given an opportunity to secure the training which will enable them to defend themselves and their homes, and also prepare them to render efficient service of other sorts in time of war.

That the Sentinel is not alone in this opinion is proved by Chicago dispatches which state that the Board of Education of that city is considering proposals to establish in the high schools a military course for girls under which they will be given training to enable them to act as Red Cross nurses and give first aid. It is an adjunct to the plan for the military training of school boys.

Next Tuesday the vote will be taken on the question of a bond issue of $4,500,000 for flood control. Opinion for and against is about evenly divided. On the desirability of flood control there is apparent unanimity, but ideas as to methods differ. Some experienced Californians feel that check dams, particularly in the mountains, are the foundation of flood control and water conservation, and that the Reagan plan does not make sufficient provision for them. Tropico citizens feel that $27,000, which the report calls for, is an unnecessary expenditure for the straightening and clearing of Sycamore Wash, which has always satisfactorily carried all the water that got into it, and the course of which is perfectly satisfactory to the owners of abutting property. Others feel that the present bond issue will be but a drop in the bucket of big expenditure needed to control the floods of Southern California and whether we can afford such an outlay on top of our present bonded indebtedness for good roads, school houses and other improvements, is debatable. All these bond propositions have merit, but neither the State nor the tax payer should be bankrupted, be the cause ever so worthy. It is a serious question and every voter should visit the polls and cast a ballot according to honest convictions.

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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Only six members came out to the Chamber of Commerce last Thursday evening, but considerable business was dispatched notwithstanding.

An application from Mr. Kinney of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce for proposals for a winter site for a circus, was considered and a committee appointed to look into the matter.

Another committee was appointed to prepare a design for an 8-page folder, advertising Tropico.

The question of the auto tax collected by the State, fifty per cent of which is returned to the County, came up for discussion and members agreed that a movement should be inaugurated to require the County to take care of those boulevards traversing cities which are links in State and County highways.

A committee was appointed to go before the City Trustees and ask them to put the name "Tropico" in larger letters on the City Hall.

A report was presented by Mr. Peters as delegate to the Convention of Commercial Secretaries in Sacramento.

The Brand Boulevard committee reported that all rights of way have been secured and the City of Los Angeles is now ready to go ahead and invite bids for paving, all plans and profiles having been completed.

The bond issue for flood control was brought up but the Chamber decided not to go on record as an organization either for or against, though individuals present favored the bonds.

MISSION HOSPITAL CHANGES HANDS

Last Monday the editor had the pleasure of a call from Dr. B. L. Baker of Seattle and Mrs. Rottner, who have leased the Mission Hospital on San Fernando Boulevard and will conduct there an up-todate hospital and rest home. They plan to ompletely renovate and refurnish the building and will probably give it a new name. Mrs. Rottner is well known in Pasadena and Glendale and the Sentinel is assured that the hospital will be a credit to Tropico.

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METHODIST DOINGS

Last Friday evening the Epworth League had its valentine and pie social. When the refreshments had been consumed seven pies were found to be on hand which were auctioned off and yielded the treasury $4.50. Valentine games furnished diversion in one of which the young people were required to cut hearts out of red cardboard while blindfolded. In this game the prize went to Miss Edna Phillips. There was also a contest for the manufacture of valentines out of paper, lace and ribbon furnished by the program committee. Lyon Kennedy won the honors in this competition.

Saturday the choir and the League enjoyed a picnic in Griffith Park, the girls furnishing the lunch, the boys the supper, which last mentioned feed consisted of wienies, coffee, buns, daughnuts and bananas. Two trips were made to Rock B, the last for the purpose of seeing the moon rise at 9:45. There was a camp fire lighted about dusk around which the young people gathered in the evening contributing various stunts in the way of recitations, songs and stories. Then they entertained themselves with charades and Will Hewett and Will Marple gave a wrestling match, Indian style, which ended in a tie.

Monday evening a surprise party was given for Miss Beatrice Gile by her sister, Mabel Gile. Miss Beatrice is a popular member of the League and Choir and most of the members of the two organizations were guests. Miss Beatrice was persuaded to accept an invitation to dine at the home of Miss Ethel Baker. When she returned home at 8:15, guests were assembled and she was taken completely by surprise. It was a jolly affair, the guest list including: Margie Wallace, Will Hewett, Ethel Baker, Roger Baker, Helen Muhleman, Charles Klamm, Beulah, Francis and Hazel Millard, Raymond Fish, Mr. Dishman, Hazel Stickley, Laura Fillinger, Arthur Norman, Leverett Goddard, Emily Kopp, Edna Philips, Billy Marple, Irene Mauk, Clyde Philips and Ethel Baird, Enid Deeds, Blanche Cramer, Joe McBride. The party was given at the home of Miss Gile's grandmother, Mrs. Burbank, of Blanche avenue and the house was gay with valentine decorations.

Friday night of the present week there will be a choir social at the home of Mrs. Lake, 225 West Cypress.

Saturday night the Epworth League will hold the first meeting of a newly formed Bible study class from 7 to 8 o'clock at the parsonage. Choir practice will follow.

Tonight (Thursday) the Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist church will give an entertainment in Social Hall at which the men will furnish the program and entertain the women members as guests without responsibility.

The program arranged for the evening opens with the singing of a missionary hymn and will be followed by a reading from the scriptures by Brother Cameron, prayer by Robert Taylor, solo by William Marple, address by Rev. Henry Goodsill, solo by Dr. Lucas, address by Rev. Don Ford, duet by Messrs. Lucas and Marple. After the program refreshments will be served followed by a social hour.

Mr. Will Marple has announced a baseball contest for the Epworth League. Sides have been chosen, Mr. Marple being captain of one team, Mr. Will Hewett of the other. Points will be based on attendance on the devotional services Sunday evening.

One week from next Monday, or February 26th, the League will go to the Fifth Street Mission in Los Angeles to participate in a service in which they will furnish special music.

Diamonds In This Country.

Diamonds are to be found in the United States, but only occasionally in alluvial materials and drift. More than fifty specimens have been identified, of which the largest, says the International Encyclopaedia, weighing nearly twenty-four karats, was found at Manchester, Va., in 1855. Their occurrence is generally confined to the regions of the southern Appalachians, the great lakes and to the coast and Sierra Nevada ranges of California and Oregon.

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WEDDING RECEPTION

Mr. and Mrs. John Newton Smalley were guests of honor at a reception given by Mrs. Ella Richardson at her home, 805 Central avenue, last Friday evening. Roses and valentines which featured the decorations made it clear that Cupid was the presiding deity. A musical program to which Rev. J. H. Henry contributed two solos, was much enjoyed. The guest list included:

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Holman, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Kilgore, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McQuiston, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hellyer, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Whitten, Mr. and Mrs. Claud O. Pulliam, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Schick, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Sherwood, Mr. and Mrs. Norton C. Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Parker, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Mitchell, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Care, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Vaughan, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. John Newton Smalley, Mrs. John Smalley, Sr., Mrs. William Herman West, Mrs. Josephine McDaniels, Mr. Clem Cox, Mr. Shives Mitchell, Miss Loraine Mitchell, Miss Eulalia Richardson, Masters Paul and John Richardson, Rev. J. H. Henry.

TROPICO LOSING GOOD CITIZEN

Nelson C. Burch who has long been identified with the interests of Tropico and its civic movements, and who was once the owner of the Sentinel, has leased his property on Cerritos avenue and goes to Denver to make his home with his daughter, Mrs. Wagner. The Burch home has been rented for three months with an option to buy, by Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell of Cedar Rapids. The Sentinel is confident they will find it such a pleasant neighborhod that the option will be made good. Mr. Burch will be much missed and the good wishes of a large circle of friends will follow him.

February 16th will be reciprocity day at the Ebell Club of San Fernando. The program will begin at 2 o'clock and all members of San Fernando Valley Womens' clubs will be made very welcome. Flood control will be one of the topics considered.

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Among the startling features promised in "A Daughter of the Gods," are 20,000 performers, more than 19,000 of them in one scene at one time; 5,000 horses, a gorgeous Oriental city constructed on what was a marsh on one of the islands of Jamaica at a cost of $350,000 and then burned for the sake of a few feet of film; dancing girls, mermaids, gnomes, battle scenes between two mighty armies, and as a pivot for this spectacular ensemble the lovely and shapely Miss Kellerman.

From the standpoint of production "A Daughter of the Gods" is without question one of the most stupendous exhibitions of pageantry ever shown. Thousands of people were photographed upon land and water. Not only is Miss Kellerman's swimming wonderful but her face and figure are said to be exquisite on the screen. The story upon which the production is based is fanciful in the extreme, and some of the ffects produced are startling in their nature.

P. T. A. ENTERTAINMENT

A fine entertainment for the benefit of Cerritos avenue P. T. A. is announced for Saturday evening, February 17th, at Union High School. The list of artists includes readers from the Cumnock School, and other professionals, viz., a whistler, a violinist and vocalists from Los Angeles. Polly Wiggs' Waxworks will be given by pupils of the school, there will be stage dancing and other attractions. Tickets will be 25c for adults, 15c for children.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Luce of West Liberty, Iowa, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wallace Kimberly who gave them a fine auto trip to Son Bernardino, and dinner in Los Angeles.

The March first meeting of the Thursday Afternoon Club will be held in the evening instead of the afternoon and will be Gentlemen's Night, when the husbands, brothers and men friends of members will be entertained.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Fry attended a week-end conference of County officers of the Epworth League at La Crescenta Hotel. It was called for the purpose of completing arrangements for the big county convention which is to be held in Glendale March 16, 17, and 18.

Miss Ethel Baird returned Saturday from a two week's outing in Castake Canyon above Saugus, where she was the guest of Dr. Nicholson and wife. They are taking up a government claim there.

To celebrate the accession of six new members recently initiated, the K. P.'s gave them a banquet and social time last Thursday evening in the Lodge Hall on Brand Boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Proctor, of Hotel Tropico, are great grandparents. They have just been advised of the birth of a fine little daughter to Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Merrill of Portland, Oregon, February 5th. Mrs. Merrill is their grand-daughter.

Mrs. Gordon of Lindsay, spent a portion of last week with her sister, Mrs. Jennison, who has been very ill but is now much better. Mrs. Jennison is now with Mrs. Moody on Cypress avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Townsend of Medford, Oregon, have purchased the Monett property on Palmer avenue, and become permanent residents of Tropico. They expect to take possession of their new home the first of March and meantime are guests at Hotel Tropico.

There was an excellent attendance at the all day meeting of the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid last Thursday and a goodly number of aprons were made.

Mrs. J. R. Maxwell of Park avenue last Thursday entertained at luncheon her cousin, Mrs. William Buell of Edendale, and the Buell babies.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Shaw returned Saturday from a trip to Bakersfield where they spent several days. During their absence Mr. and Mrs. West, parents of Mrs. Shaw, were guests of their grandchilden.

Husbands of the Pacific avenue P. T. A. of Glendale were entertained with music, games and a general good time at the home of Mrs. Ella W. Richardson, president, 805 Central avenue, Valentine eve.

Afternoon tea from 1:30 to 5 was served by Mrs. A. S. Chase on Wednesday to members of the Pacific avenue P. T. A.

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Mr. Werve, a guest at Hotel Tropico, and father of A. P. Werve, the garage man, should be conspicuously ticketed as an honest man. Monday while traversing San Fernando Boulevard he found a twenty dollar bill. He at once reported the find to John a Logan, Cashier of the First National Bank. Before long Mr. Logan recived a call from Mr. Andrews, owner of the bank building, reporting the loss of the bill which he never expected to see again.

Miss Small of Long Beach has taken the place of Mrs. Smalley, nee Miss Ellias as teacher in the Cerritos avenue school; and Miss Scheck of Los Angeles is the new instructor in Domestic Science.

Mrs. Wright, superintendent of the Mission Hospital, which has recently been leased to other parties, reports that Mr. Wright will probably build a hospital in Hollywood on similar lines but larger and with a bigger campus.

The next meeting of the Woman's Missionary Socity of the Presbyterian church will be an all-day affair February 22nd, beginning at 10:30. Officers will be elected and other business transacted in the forenoon. A luncheon will be served at noon and the afternoon session will open at 2:30. Mrs. David Black will have charge of the program and will give a talk on the American Indians and there will probably be other talks on this theme and some musical numbers.

A five-hundred party which promises to be a delightful affair is announced by the Playground Committee. It will take place Wednesday evening, February 21st, in Yeomen Hall on San Fernando Boulevard. The use of the hall has been generously donated by the Yeomen and the proceeds will be applied on the playground debt. Tickets, which will be 25c each, will include refreshments.

Rome and its runis was the theme of the Art and Travel Section of the Tuesday Club which met Monday afternoon at the home of its curator, Mrs. C. M. Turck on Glendale avenue.

Because of the convention of Pythian Sisters at Long Beach which will call many members of that organization from Tropico on the 23rd, the date of the K. P. Minstrel Show has been changed from the 21st and 22nd to the 27th and 28th. A wonderful program has been prepared to which Mr. Joseph Griffin has given much of his personal attention and in which he will participate, which is a guarantee of its excellence.

Miss Moulton of 223 Blanche avenue whose entries in the poultry and bench shows have been so successful, has just been awarded fresh trophies on her Irish Setter, Princess Mollie, entered in last week's show held on Spring Street, Los Angeles. The show was held under the auspices of the Pasadena Kennel Club, but was a benefit for Mrs. Maude Dickerson, a well known dog fancier who is very ill in a Los Angeles hospital. Princess Mollie brought home to her mistress four blue ribbons and a reserve prize.

A service in memory of Lincoln, Washington and McKinley will be held in the G. A. R. Hall next Sunday afternoon by the N. P. Banks Post and Woman's Relief Corps. A program of patriotic addresses and music is being arranged by a committee of which Robert Taylor of Palmer avenue is chairman.

CARD TOURNAMENT

At a recent meeting of the Board of Directors of the Thursday Afternoon Club a decision was reached to have a tournament of afternoon card parties in charge of the Ways and Means and the Hospitality Committees. The first party will be given at the home of Mrs. Edwin Virden February 20th. It will not be limited to members of the club but a general invitation will be extended to all women of Tropico and Glendale who enjoy cards to participate. A fee of 25c will be charged, the proceeds being used to provide club furnishings.

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The oldest book in Los Angeles is to be seen at the Dawson Book Store on South Hill street. It is a Bible printed in 1476, or sixteen years before Columbus discovered America. It is but twenty-one years younger than the first Bible ever printed.

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PROCEEDINGS OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES

The Board met at the usual hour Tuesday evening with all members present. City Attorney Shaw, City Clerk Coleman, Engineer Wattles, Treasurer Brown, Marshal Gould, Fire Chief Fairfield, Health Officer Mabry and Inspector Fram were also in attendance.

Fire Hydrant Service

A communication from the Water Company signed by Superintendent Campbell, was read by the City Clerk which was a reply to a request for improved fire hydrant service on Victor and Grace Courts. Mr. Campbell stated that there are 4-inch mains on Victor and Grace but that the fire hydrant is attached to a 2-inch main on Los Angeles street. He suggested a transfer of the hydrant to the 4-inch main. Referred to Fire Chief Fairfield.

Back Taxes

A communication was read from the Board of Supervisors setting a hearing on the refunding of delinquent taxes for Thursday, February 15th at 10 o'clock. Later in the session Trustee Veselich was asked to represent Tropico at that hearing.

Reports

The report of the Pac. Light & Power Co., of additions and betterments for two months was received and ordered placed on file.

Report of Contractor Schelling of a test of cement used on Hill street was ordered placed on file.

Another Fruit Stand

Under the call for oral communications Mr. Retts addressed the Board on behalf of Mr. Baker asking for a permit for a temporary fruit stand at Brand and Park avenues to cost less than $20. Action by the Board was deferred for one week for investigation.

Drainage Problem

President Peters reported the conference which he and Engineer Wattles had held with the Board of Public Works of Los Angeles last Saturday. He reviewed the methods proposed for disposing of flood water at Brand and San Fernando and stated the most practicable plan would entail a cost of $80 to $100, which Engineer Wattles confirmed. Inasmuch as the removal of the tower will somewhat change conditions and the liability of the city for disposal of the water is open to question, action was postponed.

Widening Brand Boulevard

A map was presented by Engineer Wattles dedicating a four-foot strip for street purposes on Brand boulevard between Cypress and Magnolia, and on motion of Trustee Alspach a resolution was adopted approving the map and accepting the dedication.

Milk Permits

At the request of Health Officer Mabry the trustees postponed action on applications for permits to sell milk.

Palmer Avenue Controversy

The matter of restoring the name "Palmer" to that portion of the street now known as Moore avenue, running west of Glendale avenue, came up for hearing. Messrs. Goodsill, Kirkham and Laws again pleaded for the name "Palmer." Action was postponed to give time for the circulation of a petition among residents of the east end of the street to see if 51 per cent of all residents will agree upon the name "Palmer."

Appreciation

Trustee Veselich was instructed to address a letter to the Los Angeles City Council on behalf of the board, expressing grateful appreciation of its successful efforts to put through the Second Street Tunnel and the Silver Lake Boulevard, and mentioning the desire of Tropico to have the Ivanhoe Bridge built.

Fire Department Improvements

Trustee Henry urged that the Boys in the Fire Company be encouraged to practive regularly and that the city pay them 25c an hour for such practice. Other members of the Board agreed and instructed Fire Chief Fairfield to inaugurate the practice. Mr. Henry also pointed out the great need of a fire siren to properly announce a fire and designate its location. The cost, installed, he estimated at $250. On motion of Veselich the question of purchasing a siren was laid over for one week for investigation.

Demands

The following demands were approved and ordered paid: Fairfield, $40; W. E. Edwards, $40; Pac. Telephone $1.35; Tropico Feed and Fuel, $4; Tropico-Glendale Lum. Co., $7.88; T. G. & T. Co., water for city hall, $1.05; Tropico Sentinel, $14.40; Wm. Mabry, $9; B. & B. Grocery, $1.40; Cornwell & Kelty, $2.37; oil and gas for motorcycles $3.40; Pac. L. and P. Co., $233.93; Neuner Co., $2; Margaret Coleman, $10; Hartley Shaw fees in jitney bus cases, $90.

The Board then adjourned.

ELKS TO ENTERTAIN CHILDREN

Members of the Big Brothers Committee of the Glendale Lodge of Elks are busy preparing their annual entertainment for the school children which will take place at the Palace Grand Theatre Satuday, February 24th, commencing at 9:30 a. m. and running two six-reel shows. After each show refeshments will be served at the Elks Club Rooms. This is in remembance of Washington's birthday, but owing to the fact that the dismissal of the schools on February 22nd is optional with school trustees, it was thought best to give the entertain ment on Saturday, so all school children could attend. Invitations will be extended to the schools in Tropico, Glendale, Eagle Rock, Burbank, San Fernando, La Canada, La Crescenta, Little Landers, etc.

Grim Consolation.

During the peninsula campaign a general officer of the French army was severely wounded in the leg, the surgeons deciding on examination that amputation was necessary.

The officer, seeing his valet shedding tears, asked: "Why do you weep, Germain? It is a fortunate thing for thee. You will have only one boot to clean in future."

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PYTHIAN SISTER NEWS

The District Deputy Convention for District No. 19, Pythian Sisters, will be held at Long Beach, Friday afternoon and evening, February 23rd. It is expected that all members of La Halla Temple No. 122 of Tropico will attend to compete for the cup which will be given the temple which sends the largest per cent of its membership to the convention.

Next Friday evening the Temple will be visited by the Grand Chief of California and the District Deputy Chief, who will inspect the work. Refreshments will be served after the ceremonies followed by a social hour.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

Very profitable and interesting was the report of all who attended the Sunday School Convention of the Glendale-Tropico District held at the First Baptist church in Glendale last Friday. Mrs. O. P. Rider of the Presbyterian church and Rev. J. Goodsill of the Methodist church were speakers who represented Tropico.

Officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows: Geo. Tyrell, president; A. A. Hause, secretary; L. C. Leeds, treasurer; Mrs. E. Knopf of Eagle Rock, M. W. Ludden of Tropico, Mr. Van Luven of Burbank, and Rev. Theodode Hopping of La Crescenta, vice-presidents; Mrs. Hoskyn, superintendent of teachers' training.

An excellent attendance rewarded the Boy Scouts and their Master, Mr. Merritt Ludden, for the interesting program prepared for the service held in the Methodist church last Sunday evening. As the boy scouts entered they saluted the flag and sang the Star Spangled Banner. They then gave the twelve points of the scout law. Mr. Ludden explained that the service was in celebration of the seventh anniversary of the founding of the order in the United States. He reviewed the history of the movement, and explained that it is not military in any sense of the word, but merely an effort to provide wise guidance for boys during a critical period in their lives. In the opinion of Mr. Ludden and others whom he quoted, boys under sixteen should not be subjected to military training.

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WITNESS my hand and official seal.

(Seal) HARRY W. CHASE,
Notary Public in and for said County and State of California.

CHURCH CALENDAR

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

Glendale and Park Ave.

Pastors: M. M. Eshelman, 219 Blanche Ave. S. S. Garst, 1700 West Broadway, Glendale.

Sunday services at 10 and 11 a. m., 6:30 and 7:30 p. m. Bible study at 219 Blanche Ave., each Tuesday evening.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Central and Palmer Aves., Tropico

Pastor, Rev. Don Ford, 406 Central Avenue.

Sunday morning service at 11 o'clock; Sunday school 9:45 a. m., Epworth League 6:30 p. m., Will Hewett, president; Sunday evening service 7:30 o'clock; Junior League 2:30 p. m. Norma Wallace President; midweek prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock; Woman's Foreign Missionary Society meeting the second Thursday afternoon in the month, Mrs. Henry Goodsill, president; Woman's Home Misisonary Society meeting the fourth Tuesday in the month, Mrs. Mary Cole, president; Ladies' Aid meeting the first Tuesday in the month, Mrs. Lorena Cramer, president.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Laurel and Central Aves., Tropico

Pastor, Rev. O. P. Rider, 208 East Acacia street.

Sunday morning service, 11 o'clock; Sunday school 9:45 a. m., Christian Endeavor meeting Sunday at 6:30 p. m., H. E. Fry, president; Sunday evening service 7:30 o'clock; midweek prayer meeting, Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock; Ladies' Aid meeting, the second Thursday afternoon in the month, Mrs. A. W. Collins, president; Woman's Missionary Meeting, the last Thursday afternoon in the month, Mrs. Merritt Ludden, president; Phileathea Class, Miss Edna Brown, president; Men's Bible Class, Sam Brown, president.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

Services in the church edifice at the corner of Second street and Maryland avenue Sunday at 11 a. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m.; Wednesday evening testimony meeting at 8 o'clock; Reading Room at 415 South Brand boulevard, open daily except Sundays and holidays from 12 m. to 4 p. m.

Topic: February 18, "Soul."

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"Of course it was," answered the guide, with a look of pity at the other.

"That's queer," rejoined the waggish person. "His appearance would seem to indicate that he was permanently cured."—Exchange.

Botany Bay.

Sir Joseph Banks was the man who invented the once familiar phrase "Botany Bay." He was the botanist attached to the expedition of Captain Cook, the "Australian Columbus." Landing at this bay, close to the present city of Sydney, he found such an abundance of strange plants and flowers that he associated the word "botany" with it for all time. For a long time Botany Bay and Australia were synonymous in England. Sydney has spread out to the historic bay, and you can travel by tram car to "Botany." It was Sir Joseph Banks who made the kangaroo and other Australian animals known to science. — London Graphic.

The Wise Politician.

The conduct of a wise politician is ever suited to the present posture of affairs. Often by foregoing a part he saves the whole and by yielding in a small matter secures a greater.—Plutarch.

Precise.

Evangeline, from Vassar, was home for the holidays. Late one afternoon she came in during a downpour of rain.

"Evangeline," said her mother, "were you out in all that rain?"

"No, mother," said Evangeline. "I was merely in the portion of the rain that descended in my immediate vicinity."—New York Times.

PERSONAL IMPROVEMENT.

Experience serves to prove that the worth and strength of a state depend far less upon the form of its institutions than upon the character of its men, for the nation is only the aggregate of individual conditions, and civilization itself is but a question of personal improvement.—Samuel Smiles.

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When a Swan Is a Cygnet.

"It amuses me to hear people speaking of the young swans at the Avondale zoo as 'swanettes,'" said Miss Lucy Williams. "The diminutive for swan is cygnet, just as a young goose is called a gosling. You might as well speak of a gosling as a ganderette or a goosette as to call a cygnet a 'swanette.'"—Birmingham News.

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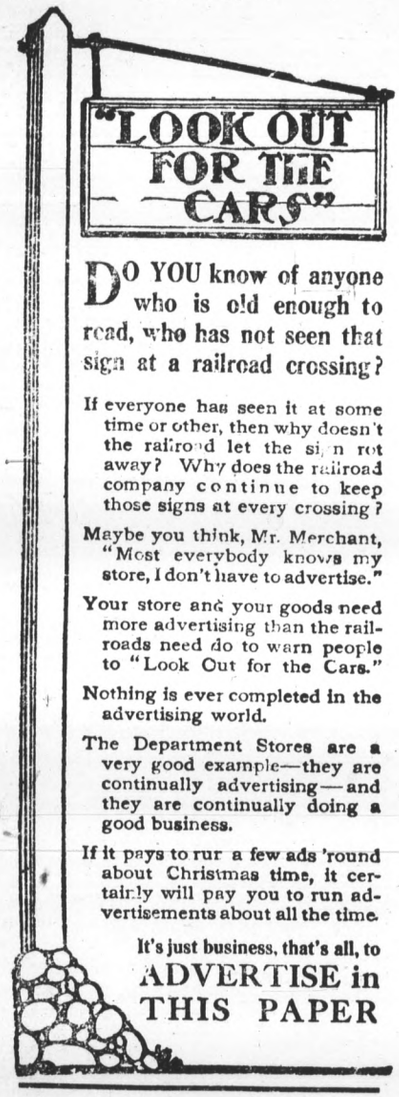

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Goats and Milk.

A goat lives about ten years and will give a yield on an average of a quart of milk a day.

Women Will Be Logical.

Mrs. Hoyle—Don't you think my boy is growing? Mrs. Doyle—Yes; he is pretty large for his mother's age.

Weather and the Moon.

Those who ascribe potency to the moon at certain stages of its visible march eastward through the nocturnal heavens as a matter affecting terrestrial weather appear to overlook the fact that the operation of that luminary is constant and that its changes are going on all the time. Why special magic should be imputed to the change from one quarter to another, from crescent to full, from full to gibbous, from gibbous to the final wane, is difficult to understand. Yet sober minded men and women will gravely inform you that there is such magic and will believe it rather more sincerely than they believe some things in their Bibles.—Lowell Courier-Citizen.

A Case of Necessity.

"Pat, I am sorry to hear you have buried your wife." "Sure, an' I had to, sor She was dead."

Women and Pain.

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Origin of the French Tricolor.

The origin of the French tricolor is usually explained as it is by Carlyle: "Women, too, are sewing cockades—not now of green, which being d'Artois color the Hotel de Ville has had to interfere in it, but of red and blue, our old Paris colors. These, once based on a ground of constitutional white, are the famed tricolor—which (if prophecy err not) will go round the world." Another explanation, however, is that the tricolor combines the blue hood of St. Martin, which was borne on the standard of the ancient kings, the oriflamme (originally the banner of the abbey of St. Denis) and the white flag of the Bourbons. Others make it the shield of the Orleans family.

Some of Burns' Phrases.

Here are a few specimens of Burns' happy phrases: "The best laid schemes of mice and men gang aft agley;" "The fear of hell's the hangman's whip, to haud the wretch in order;" "But pleasures are like poppies spread—you seize the flower, its bloom is shed;" "Oh, wad some power the giftie gie us to see ourselves as ithers see us;" "Man's inhumanity to man makes countless thousands mourn;" "Nursing her wrath to keep it warm;" "The mirth and fun grew fast and furious;" "What's done we partly may compute, but know not what's resisted;" "Princes and lords are but the breath of kings;" "The rank is but the guinea stamp; a man's a man for a' that."

Busy All the Time.

Little Howard came in the other day, crying and rubbing several bumps caused by a series of "butts" administered by a pet sheep.

"Well, Howard," said his sympathetic auntie, "what did you do when the sheep knocked you down?"

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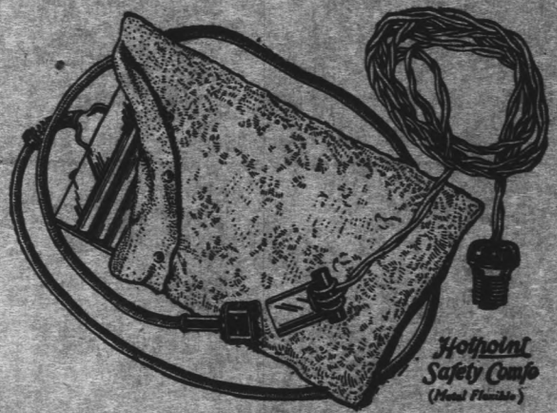

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